



Oranjestad Children's Parade 2007!

The brilliant colors of Carnival 53 took over L.G. Smith Boulevard on Sunday afternoon for the Children's Grand Parade. Bright blooms of confetti filled the air, matched by the riot of hues worn by adorable children on fantastic floats. Even Ronald McDonald came all the way from McDonaldland for the parade!

The streets were filled with little mermaids, butterflies and blooms of every hue, as a moving garden or reef made its way down the boulevard.

Though it was a difficult choice, judges declared Jolly Kids, the Baby Champagne Group, and Nos Futuro as the first, second and third place winning groups of Children's Carnival Oranjestad and also Groups of the Year. The number one winning road piece was "Discovering Cuba" from Jolly Kids, second place was "Chabilita," and the third place winning float was "Nos Futuro." The Chiki Tin Bin Bin group was named "Most Creative" and "Tortuga Homber Bieu" (Old Mr. Turtle) was awarded most comical.

No matter the efforts of the leaders to keep the children's groups organized, kids are unpredictable, and their antics are always amusing and entertaining to watch, making the Children's Parade a particular delight!